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1. No import of fuel oil was provided for in the 1954 Plan. In the first quarter of 1954, a total of 1,816 tons was received as a carry-over from 1953. This carry-over was assigned partly to the 1954 allocations and partly as a supplement to consumers. This fuel oil was a very viscous and asphalt-rich product, which had only limited usefulness and which, in its technical specifications, approximated the split residue (Spaltresidue) of Schwarzhelde. The disposition of this product was therefore very difficult. This fuel oil was imported from Hungary.
2. On 5 October 1954, the supplementary requirement for fuel oil in the 4th quarter of 1954 was listed as about 9,200 tons. Since that time, it has been found that the Rositz Werk would have an estimated over-production in the 4th quarter of about 3,000 tons; and further, that the Phosphatwerk Ruedersdorf had waived part of its 4th quarter allocation, i.e. about 1,300 tons. This amount could then be used to cover supplementary needs of other customers (Bedarfsrueckerlage).
3. The fuel situation thus stood as follows, as of 13 October 1954:

Supplementary requirements for the
4th quarter

about 9,200 tons

Werk Rositz over-production

about 3,000 tons

Amount waived by the Phosphatwerk

Ruedersdorf

about 1,300 tons

Remaining deficit

about 4,900 tons

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